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SUBJECT: PLANS FOR VISIT BY ROMANIAN PRESIDENT TO THESSALONIKI

1. "MAKEDONIA" OF NOVEMBER 13 CARRIES BRIEF FRONTPAGE ANNOUNCEMENT OF PROBABLE VISIT TO THESSALONIKI BY ROMANIAN PRESIDENT NICOLAE CEAUSESCU DURING PLANNED NOVEMBER 21 - 24 OFFICIAL VISIT TO GREECE. DETAILS NOT PROVIDED ON WHO WOULD ACCOMPANY CEAUSESCU HERE. REPORT CONCLUDED THAT RUMANIA "HAS EXPRESSED PARTICULAR INTEREST IN PORT OF THESSALONIKI".

2. COMMENT: GREEK-ROMANIAN MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE WHICH MET IN ATHENS APRIL 9-12 DISCUSSED ROMANIAN INTEREST IN INCREASED USE OF PORT OF THESSALONIKI. ACCORDING TO PROTOCOL OF MEETINGS, PUBLISHED SEPTEMBER 25 IN GOVERNMENT GAZETTE NO. 234, ROMANIAN SIDE "INTERESTED IN SCHEDULING REGULAR SEA COMMUNICATION TO THESSALONIKI AND INCREASED RAIL AND ROAD TRANSPORT TO AND FROM PORT. CEAUSESCU VISIT WOULD BE FIRST TO THESSALONIKI BY FOREIGN HEAD OF STATE SINCE 1963 DE GAULLE VISIT. ACCORDING TO SOURCE AT DISTRICT GOVERNMENT, VISIT NOT YET COMPLETELY CONFIRMED, UNCLASSIFIED

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BUT WILL PROBABLY TAKE PLACE NOVEMBER 23.

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